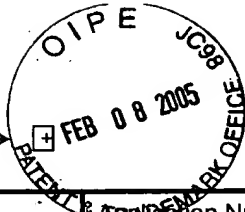


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## ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)

☐ Fee Transmittal Form

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☐ Express Abandonment Request

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☐ Assignment Papers (for an Application)

☐ Letter to the Official Draftsperson and \_\_\_\_\_ Sheets of Formal Drawing(s)

☐ Licensing-related Papers

☐ Petition

☐ Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application

☐ Power of Attorney, Revocation Change of Correspondence Address

☐ Terminal Disclaimer

☐ Request for Refund

☐ CD, Number of CD(s) \_\_\_\_\_

☐ After Allowance Communication to Group

☐ LETTER SUBMITTING APPEAL BRIEF AND APPEAL BRIEF (w/clean version of pending claims)

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**REPLY**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 10, 2004 the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

**Listing of claims** begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.